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CONTRARY TO CARROL'S ASSERTION IN PARAGRAPH 7 OF REFTTEL THAT SOVIETS ABRUPTLY HALTED FISH SALES TO IVORY COAST TEN MONTHS AGO, USSR CONTINUES TO SUPPLY IVORY COAST WITH FISH, AND REMAINS ITS PRINCIPAL SUPPLIER. SOVIET SHIPS WERE OBSERVED IN PORT OF ABIDJAN UNLOADING FISH IN FEBRUARY 1976 AND THE WEEK OF AUGUST 2 TWO SOVIET SHIPS WERE IN PORT UNLOADING FISH FOR TWO DAYS. THESE ARE BUT TWO EXAMPLES OF NUMEROUS DELIVERIES.
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